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Competitors team up to protest cuts

BY KEVIN VINK
MVP Staff

Didsbury and Carstairs pharmacy customers may get a surprise this week, as Pharmasave owner Jody Keller and Value Drug Mart owner Brad Blatz have decided to close the doors and participate in a provincewide pharmacist rally from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Thursday.

The rally is in opposition to the provincial budget cuts to front-line health-care workers, which they say will negatively affect both pharmacies and the services they offer to Albertans.

"It is disappointing the government spent \$400,000 on an ad campaign stating Alberta will have the lowest generic prices in Canada when that only tells half of the story," Keller noted.

These cuts may mean minimal one-on-one time with pharmacists, drug shortages and longer wait times, said Keller.

Pharmacies across Alberta support lower prices for all Albertans, he said.

However, in order to ensure the sustainability of patient care by pharmacists, savings through generic price changes must be reinvested in pharmacies, he noted.

"What it means to us is that services that were provided basically for free (in the past), we have to start looking at being sustainable, and we may have to look at charging for," said Keller.

The key message, he said, is that they are very concerned about being able to maintain the services they currently provide to their clients.

"Pharmacists are highly trained professionals, and of important note, are highly-accessible health professionals," he said.

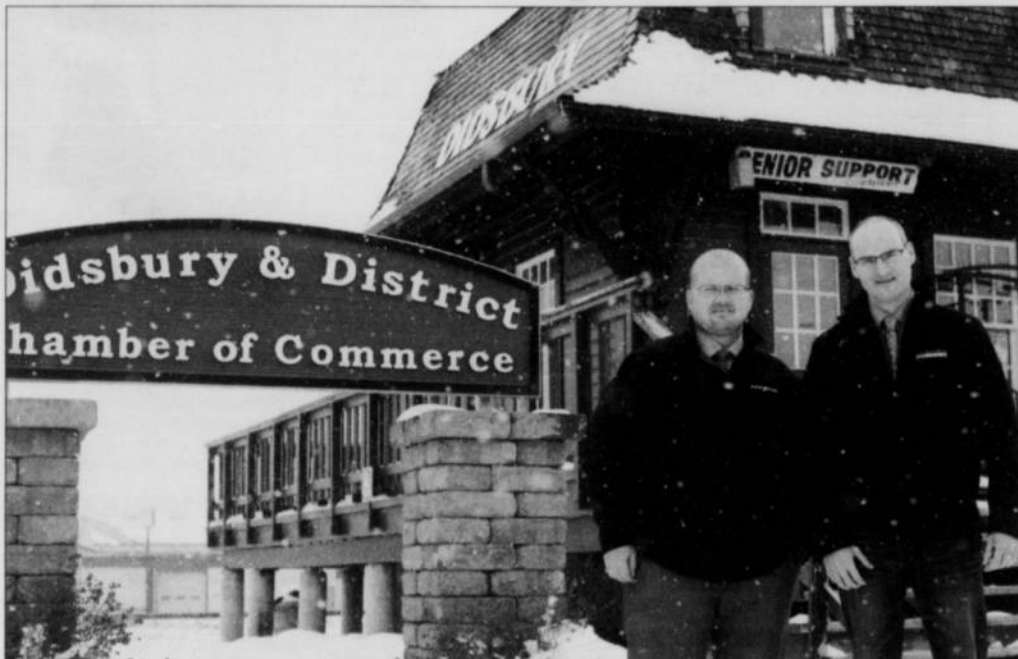
The announcement of cuts from the government was made without consultation with the RxA, (the Alberta Pharmacists' Association) and was a complete surprise to pharmacy owners and staff across the province, he added.

Keller supports pharmacists providing more services, such as medication reviews, providing injections and additional prescribing by pharmacists to ease the pressure on the health-care system.

However, the government would have the public believe this can all be achieved immediately and without a reasonable transition time, he said.

"This change, coupled with an underfunded model, means pharmacists will not be able to provide the level of care that Albertans have become accustomed to. The health system will suffer as patient needs are off-loaded, and their needs may go unmet," he noted.

The average cost to fill a prescription



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Brad Blatz and Jody Keller stand near Eldon Foote Hall on Sunday. The local pharmacy owners are teaming up to rally against provincial health

care funding structure changes this Thursday. has been shown in many studies to be \$14 to \$15, whereas the Didsbury and Carstairs Pharmasaves only make an average of \$10.22, he said.

The loss on filling a prescription, coupled with the dramatic reduction in indirect funding - also known as generic rebates - will affect pharmacies across the province, he said.

"This is about our genuine concern for looking after the residents of our communities and all the services that we provide and to be compensated fairly."

JODY KELLER
owner, Didsbury Pharmasave

"You do the math...It's a hard enough time in small towns with the larger box stores 10 minutes away, when they promise lower pricing and they can encompass that in a grocery environment...and they can make up the margin on that.

"We provide personalized, high-quality,

highly-accessible service in our local communities, and we're going to struggle to provide the same level of service because something will have to give. That's essentially what we're looking at," he added.

While the pharmacy employees and owners are rallying on Thursday, he noted that they will be engaging customers and passersby, informing them as to what is going on and why they are rallying.

They will also have petitions and letter templates asking the provincial government to consult with pharmacists and come up with a mutually-beneficial funding model.

He wanted to clarify that the rallies are not about lashing out at the government.

"This is about our genuine concern for looking after the residents of our communities and all the services that we provide and to be compensated fairly."

The provincial government announced changes nine months ago, he added, noting that the business model of Alberta's pharmacies has been developed over the last 22 to 24 years.

"Over this time frame, pharmacies have seen one increase in dispensing fees - totalling 52 cents," he said.

Staffing, training, computer technol-

ogy and the amount of documentation required are tremendous barriers to pharmacies, especially when the time being allowed for them to transition to the new services model is only nine months, he added.

He said the provincial government will argue that it is reinvesting in pharmacies, but he has documented what they will actually save, what they claim to be saving, and what the costs will be to employees, owners and ultimately, services to Albertans.

"So we're given a mountain of things that we need to be able to accomplish to help stabilize the transition, and more than anything, we want the government to work with our pharmacists' association to come up with a reasonable transition funding model and stabilization for Albertans. That's essentially the message," he added.

"We're going to fight to stay in business, there's no doubt about that... of course we're going to ensure we provide these services, but the funding is going to have to come from somewhere."

Keller and Blatz invite anyone concerned to speak to their MLA and come down to the rally being held at their stores to learn more about how these funding changes will affect them.

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Minor soccer registrations continuing

BY KEVIN VINK
MVP Staff

The Didsbury Minor Soccer Association (DMSA) is getting ready to kick off another year of minor soccer, say officials.

Treasurer Debbie Brazalle said DMSA is still actively seeking player registrations as well as coaches.

"This year our numbers are down, but we have about 225 kids registered this year, and we are approximately down 50 kids this year from last year," said Brazalle.

DMSA is still accepting registrations for all ages, she noted, but is looking particularly for kids in and above the U-12 divisions, and is also needing coaches for the U-16 and U-18 divisions.

Though the association held two registration events, they have also moved to online registrations this year.

"We had two physical registrations, but we've gone to an online registration system this year, so that was just an opportunity for people who are used to filling in the forms and for us to show them our new website and how user-friendly it is, especially for registration," she said.

This is the first year they've had it online, though she noted that the paperwork has to be entered into their computers anyway, so online registration makes it easier for administrators.

"It's one less step for us, but it's easier in the long run for us and for parents," she added.

"They can go online, check team stats, check where their games are going to be played, and what field they're on. So it's a great tool for parents to keep track of their kids' games and scores."

If anybody has missed registration and still wants to sign up, Brazalle encourages them to do so by visiting the DMSA website at (www.didsbursoccer.com).

The deadline is about the third week of April, she said, though the sooner the better for older teams, as the U-12 and higher levels travel for games and those are the teams that need higher numbers of players.

She explained that 11 players are needed to field a team, and the more players the teams have, the more substitutions they will be able to make.

"Some of our age groups only have 11 so far, so that's why I'm saying we still need registrations," she added.

They are also seeking coaches for the higher levels and notes that clinics are provided for those interested in coaching, she said.

"So if there's anybody with a soccer background and a desire to coach, we would like to talk to them," she added.

If families want to put their kids into soccer but don't have the money required to register, she said DMSA can be contacted through their website and arrangements can be made. "We don't want to stop any kids from playing,

so if there are problems with costs, there are options available and we can help with that."

KidSport is one of the options to have sporting activities paid for, she noted. "They will look at every individual's case, and we haven't had anybody turned down yet, so it's a great way for kids in low-income families."



Photo courtesy of Andrew Crossell

Didsbury's Ashton Gramlich and Sundre's Riley Nault chase after the ball as the two teams competed for gold in the U-14 category during last year's soccer season. The DMSA is still accepting online registrations for parents who would like to enrol their children in this year's soccer season.

Officials: No evidence to support dog-napping rumours

BY JARED SIEMENS
MVP Staff

Recent rumours of dog-nappings within the county perpetuated on popular social media

websites have local residents hesitant to take their dogs for walks or leave them alone in the backyard to exercise and relieve themselves, police said.

The social media rumour not only suggests dog thefts are occurring, but that they are for the purposes of criminal dogfighting organizations, and Cpl.

Warren Wright with the Didsbury RCMP detachment said there is no evidence of either claim.

As far as the local police are concerned, the public has no cause for alarm.

"There is nothing to substantiate that your dog will be taken from your hands while walking it, or that it will be stolen from the backyard while let out for exercise," said Wright.

"Yes, dogs do go missing, but they do. The majority of the time, they are running at large," said Wright.

Wright went on to say that while he doesn't know what is happening outside of his geographical area, there is no factual proof that dogs are being kidnapped in the Olds, Didsbury, and Carstairs areas.

"We encourage everyone to carry on with their normal lives."

Derek Sutherland, a Didsbury community peace officer who handles animal control, also dispelled the rumours.

"We certainly haven't seen an increase in the number of dogs at large or going missing in either the town of Didsbury or Mountain View County," said Sutherland.

"The community is just as safe as it always was, and there is no foundation for the rumours dogs are being kidnapped in the urban and rural Didsbury areas."

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Playground Society continuing to build community

BY KEVIN VINK
MVP Staff

The Didsbury Playground Society finished off its fundraising for the toddlers' play park at the Kinsmen Park recently, after a donation from both the Olds Rotary Club and the Knox United Church Thrift Store, according to officials.

Maia Foster, president-elect for the society, said that though the majority of construction finished last summer, there were still some bills to be paid and are still some other minor additions to be done.

They built the tot playground at Kinsmen Park - across 23 Street from the Lutheran Church - last June, but this year they would still like to install some benches and a picnic table, she said.

"So we still have a couple small things to finish up once winter finished in Alberta, and there are still some funds that are going to be spent there, but we are nearly done with Kinsmen," said Foster.

Despite that the society has concluded fundraising for its original project, she said members will be continuing to fundraise for their next project, which is yet to be determined.

"After we finished fundraising for that, we realized that the community can really use a group that is going to continue to fundraise for parks and playgrounds in Didsbury," she noted.

After the project was complete, the group had to overcome another hurdle when three of the volunteers decided to leave the group, she said.

"So hopefully with that new initiative and some great new voices, we will be able to head forward and start looking at a new project to do in the next year."

Mitch Thomson, president of the Rotary Club of Olds said his club is excited to have been able to help out with a \$5,000 donation to the society last month.

"This year we have three different playground projects we've been part of, and this is one that's really cool because it's for the real little guys," said Thomson.

"For the Rotary club, we saw it as a

great opportunity to support a wonderful grassroots kind of organization that was formed in Didsbury to provide a playground for tots in the community."

He noted that the Olds Rotary Club has enjoyed much support from the community in town, including a new Didsbury-Carstairs Rotary Club, so they thought this was a great opportunity to give something back and support a good group at the same time.

"We saw a group that had worked really hard and done a lot in the community to raise the money, and as they came to us towards the end, we thought 'this will help them get near completion, or at least near the end.'"

The reasons for a playground specifically aimed at younger children are varied, but he explained it will mainly provide a safe environment for them to play in.

"This is for those young kids that you want to keep safe and who can't be taking a little fall, because of their tender ages," he said.

"When you're a young mom or dad and you have a couple, two or three pre-kindergarten children - and that often is the case - you can't be everywhere at once."

"So this is a situation where the children will be able to play with supervision, but are not at risk if mom or dad are helping their brother or sister, and that's a big part of it."

Foster concluded that the society is grateful for the continued support of the community and its volunteers.

"We've been really lucky there, and the women that I've worked with have been great too...they've been some great people, so we couldn't thank the people that have been with us enough, and some of the businesses have been great too," she said.

"We're really happy to be able to do something for the community. We realize people have to do stuff or it's not going to get done, so it feels good to be able to do this kind of thing and show our kids how working in our community can help improve it, show community spirit, and form bonds with other people as well."



Photo submitted

The Knox United Church Household Goods Thrift Store donated \$5,000 to the Didsbury Playground Society last month for its continued work in improving and building new parks and playgrounds in Didsbury. Seen here, Chelsie Hopfe, Gina Hopfe, Brienne Hopfe and Maia Foster receive the cheque from Sylvia Derksen and Corinne Stouffer.

Easter weekend car burglaries

BY JARED SIEMENS
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Some unlucky residents awoke Tuesday morning after their Easter long weekend to discover their vehicles had been rummaged through the night prior.

Approximately nine vehicles in town were reported being burgled sometime between April 1 at 10 p.m. and April 2 at 8 a.m., said Cpl. Warren Wright of the Didsbury RCMP detachment, noting that about 11 vehicles in Carstairs were also struck.

Multiple vehicles were rummaged through overnight, though in most cases,

nothing was reported stolen, he said.

"In one case, a wallet was stolen from a vehicle that was entered," said Wright. "That person later found some of their belongings down the street from the location where the theft took place."

Wright said he surmises the suspect removed what they wanted from the wallet, and discarded the rest.

"A lot of the people who may have been victimized should search nearby bushes and garbage cans and snowbanks for their missing belongings," said Wright, noting that the thieves typically discard what they don't want nearby.

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Smoking police have big job ahead

The Harper government has announced the creation of a new anti-tobacco task force charged with stopping organized crime from targeting tobacco products at Canadian young people.

The 50-officer RCMP Anti-Contraband Tobacco Force will specifically target criminals who sell and distribute contraband tobacco products anywhere in Canada, including in rural Alberta.



DAN SINGLETON

Efforts to reduce youth tobacco use have, of course, been ongoing for years, with schools, health-care workers, politicians, and many other stakeholders spending countless hours and effort in the fight.

This taskforce initiative is yet another worthwhile attempt to keep vulnerable young people from taking up a habit that can lead to no end of health problems and years of heavy financial burdens.

"These initiatives will see our government protect our children by taking the fight to organized crime," said Wildrose MP Blake Richards. "We have worked hard, over decades, through education and health initiatives to cut the smoking rate among Canadians. We must not allow organized crime to undercut this progress."

"Organized crime syndicates are working to undermine our efforts by smuggling contraband tobacco products into Canada and illegally selling them to children."

In conjunction with the formation of the new task force, the government has also created a new Criminal Code offence with mandatory jail sentences for repeat offenders.

"Mandatory minimum penalties for repeat offenders will include at least 90 days in jail on a second conviction, 180 days in jail for a third conviction and two years on subsequent convictions," he said.

In 2011, the RCMP seized about 600,000 cartons and unmarked bags of cigarettes, 2,200 kilograms of raw leaf tobacco and 38,000 kilograms of fine cut tobacco. With the new taskforce now on the job, even larger seizures can probably be expected in 2013.

With literally tonnes of illegal tobacco being targeted at young people, the government should be applauded for these efforts to keep that same tobacco out of the hands of children and teens.

Overall youth tobacco use in Canada has been on the decline in recent years, dropping from 25 per cent in 1999 to 17 per cent in 2011, according to Health Canada.

Whether this new task force will help reduce those numbers even further remains to be seen. There are many, many stakeholders who are sure hoping so.

In the end it's up to individuals, including young people, to make their own choices about tobacco use.

At the same time, increasing enforcement and strengthening anti-tobacco laws are good moves in the ongoing effort to keep tobacco out of the hands of Canadian children.



Commentary

Burn body fat all day long

There seems to be a common misconception when it comes to burning fat and metabolism, so let's clear things up a bit.

If you use your metabolism as a tool, it can be your best friend; it can give you those weight loss/inches dropped goals you're after. I'm going to tell you exactly how to do that.

Some of us naturally have a slow metabolism, just as some of us have a fast metabolism. We all have that friend who can eat whatever they want and not gain an ounce, and it seems like all we have to do is look at a dessert and we gain a few pounds.

There's good news here, though. There are ways to speed up our metabolism the healthy way; we can shed inches and we can drop pounds by increasing our metabolism.

So how do we do that?

The number one way to increase our metabolism and get our body in a fat-burning state is to eat. I know it seems like it should be the opposite but this simply isn't the case.

I can prove this to be a fact if you look at our eating habits. Consider the quality of food eaten and the time of day this food is eaten. Many of us skip breakfast, have a late lunch, then a huge dinner and finally snack while watching TV before bedtime.

As you can see from this example, we're not eating frequently enough to increase our metabolism, which is why we accumulate excess body fat and now want to lose weight.

There are other ways to lose weight by increasing our metabolism, which include being active - whether it be going for walks, bike rides, jogging or even playing with the kids.

Working out more directly - in this case resistance training like lifting weights, body weight exercises or band work is another great way to increase our metabolism, in fact more so than cardio alone.

The problem with these exercises I just listed is we

wouldn't do them all day long. We're not going to lift weights for five or six hours a day, and we're not going to run a marathon every day.

But what we can do is eat clean, whole foods.

We can fuel our body with healthy food all day long, which will put our body in the fat-burning state, help us lose weight and drop inches. Not only that, but we'll be giving our body all the nutrients it needs to fuel our mind, reduce stress, help us sleep better, etc.

The list goes on, so even though most of us have a main goal of losing weight, there are many other benefits that come along with boosting our metabolism with food, which all lead to increasing our quality of life.

The first step we can take to jump-start our metabolism is to eat something in the morning. Breakfast is exactly what the word says - it's breaking a fast.

After hours of sleep, our metabolism has come to a screeching halt, so the best thing we can do when we wake up is to get our metabolism running again with food.

Have something to eat; it doesn't matter what it is, for the most part.

Choose something you don't mind eating - something easy on the stomach that's easily digestible.

Forming a habit as simple as eating in the morning will be a big step in your goal to burning fat all day long. Before you know it, you'll start to get hungry when you wake up, which only means your metabolism is running at a higher rate and your body is burning fat more efficiently.

As you continue to eat more quality foods throughout the day, you'll find yourself hungry - possibly for the first time in years.

Don't be afraid to eat; remember that when you eat quality foods, you are offering your body what it's asking for. Not only will you notice your clothes starting to loosen, but you'll find yourself with more energy, in a better mood and even sleep better with reduced stress.

Use your metabolism as a tool, let it be your friend and burn body fat all day long.

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New water utility rates set

BY KEVIN VINK
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Town council approved the new water utility rates at a special town council meeting last month.

The new rates, according to officials, will be \$11 per month in service fees, with a separate fee applying to both water and wastewater - plus \$2 per cu. m consumed for water, and \$1.02 per cu. m consumed for

wastewater.

The water and wastewater utility rate structures are going to change effective May 1 this year, according to the resolution.

It is difficult to determine whether bills will go up or down, because the rate structure itself has been completely changed, though CFO Nita Bartholow noted the Mountain View Regional Water Services Commission will increase what it charges the town from \$1.25 per cu. m to \$1.30 per cu. m, as of April 1.

"The previous rates were calculated by comparing the amount of water used to the average amount of water being used during the month," she said, whereas

the new rates are based on usage plus distribution fees.

She said the variable fees and fluctuation in consumption made the previous rate structure complicated, which is one reason for the change.

According to the Rates and Fees Bylaw, the previous rate structure for wastewater was a base rate of \$12.50 per month, multiplied by 48.6 per cent from December to May, and 41.4 per cent from June to November.

The previous rate structure for water was a flat rate of \$3.42 per month, plus \$2.31 per cu. m for the first 12.24 cu. m, and \$2.68 per cu. m over 12.24 cu. m.

The Infrastructure Renewal of \$3.42 per month for water and wastewater is still effective, added Bartholow

TOWN OF DIDSBURY



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Public Works: 8:00 am to 4:30 pm 403.335.8343
Information Line 403.335.2030
After Hours Pager 403.507.3624
Didsbury Neighborhood Place 403.335.8719
Aquatic Centre and Arena 403.335.7369

PUBLIC MEETINGS

REGULAR TOWN COUNCIL MEETING: Tuesday, April 23 at 7:00 pm.

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE MEETING: Tuesday, April 9 at 7:00 p.m.

MUNICIPAL PLANNING COMMISSION: Wednesday, April 10 at 4:30 p.m.

Unless otherwise noted, all meetings are held in Council Chambers at the Town Office.

New Utility Rates

Water: \$11.00/month distribution fee plus \$2.00/cubic meter of water consumed

Wastewater: \$11.00/month collection fee plus \$1.02/cubic meter of water consumed



DIDSBURY NEIGHBORHOOD PLACE

Girl's Night Out - April 22 from 6:00 - 9:00 pm. Ages 8-12. Cost is \$15.00. Registration deadline is April 15.

Boy's Night Out - April 23 from 6:00 - 9:00 pm. Ages 8-12. Cost is \$15.00. Registration deadline is April 16.

Call Didsbury Neighborhood Place at 403.335.8719 to register or for more information.

Didsbury Recycling Centre

A recent press release issued on April 3, 2013 expressed the misuse and abuse of the Didsbury Recycling Centre. The centre continues to be a dumping ground where residents are dropping off inappropriate items such as old appliances, construction material and household garbage. As such, the Public Works staff must haul these large items to the landfill which is estimated at a cost of \$500, a financial burden to all tax payers. All residents are encouraged to report any misuse of the Recycling Centre by calling the Town of Didsbury information line at 403.335.2030. To view the full press release, please visit www.didsbury.ca/town/townnews.

National Volunteer Week - April 21-27, 2013

Cheers for volunteers! Drop into Didsbury Neighborhood Place, 106, 2034 19 Avenue, on Thursday, April 25 from 6:00-8:00 pm for snack and refreshments and on Friday, April 26 from 1:00-3:00 pm for cake and refreshments! Anytime during National Volunteer Week, pick up your free gift bag at Didsbury Neighborhood Place.

ROLLOUT CART PICK UP SCHEDULE

	April	May
Black Bin	9, 10, 23, 24	7, 8, 21, 22
Green Bin	16, 17, 30	1, 14, 15, 28, 29



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Volunteer Opportunities

Volunteer Didsbury is currently seeking applicants for the following volunteer opportunities:

- Didsbury Library - Seeking one Board Member
- Community Services Board - (2) Members at Large - One Student
- Aspen Ridge Lodge - Various Positions
- Didsbury Cemetery Committee - Annual Fundraiser

For more details and how to apply, please go to:
www.didsbury.ca/town/volunteerdidsbury

Spring Street Sweeping

Please be advised that the Department of Public Works is beginning its Annual Spring Street Sweeping Program which will continue over the next several weeks between the hours of 7:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

To provide efficient and quick sweeping, our equipment needs to get to the curb without obstructions. Please consider the following:

- Try to avoid Monday to Friday daytime parking on your street if possible.
- Safety is important for everyone, so please watch children carefully when the sweepers are on the roadway.
- Please watch for signage indicating street sweeping in your area.

The Spring Street Sweeping Program typically takes about 3-4 weeks to complete but may be delayed by cold or wet weather, parked vehicles or excessive amounts of winter sand and debris.

Your cooperation and patience is greatly appreciated. For further information, please call the Town's Public Works Department at 403-335-8343.

Didsbury Aquatic Centre Public Meeting

On April 16, 2013 at 7:00 pm, there will be a public meeting in the Multi Purpose Room at the Didsbury Memorial Complex. Council wants to hear from you in regards to the future of the Didsbury Aquatic Centre. If you are unable to attend the April 16 meeting, there will be a second meeting held on April 30, 2013 at 4:00 pm.

NEW DEVELOPMENT PERMIT APPLICATIONS

Development Permits have been issued for the following proposed developments:

DP 13-16

2409 - 16 Street

Freestanding Monument Sign - w/conditions

C2

Further information may be obtained at the Town Office, 2037 - 19 Avenue or by calling 403.335.3391. Persons wishing to appeal any of these decisions must do so in writing, with the appropriate fees, to the Secretary of the Development Appeal Board, prior to 4:30 p.m. on April 23, 2013.

Dani Woodman - Development Officer

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Community Resources



April 10 and April 17

Rotary club of Didsbury and Carstairs meets every Wednesday from 5-6 pm at the Country Nook Restaurant 1414 20 Avenue (in front of the Didsbury Motel). Appetizers will be served - supper may be purchased to follow. Newcomers are welcome. Call Ernie Ryckman at 402 335-4739 for more info.

April 11 and April 18

1:30 pm. An invitation to all seniors to come and enjoy the Friends and Fun Program at the Eldon Foote Hall (train station). A weekly free program of games, activities and special events. If a ride is required, please call 403-335-4391.

April 10

5-0 Club Easter Potluck at 12:30 pm. Ham is supplied. Bring your favourite veggie or dessert dish.

April 11

Canadian Classic Concert featuring Valdy and Gary Fjellgaard with Saskia and Darrel opening. This is a fundraising event for the Mountain View Arts Society at the Didsbury Multipurpose Room and tickets are \$25. Get your tickets before they sell out, at the Didsbury Museum or the Didsbury Library or by calling 403 335-9445. Doors open at 6:15 pm - rush seating - concert starts at 7 pm.

April 13

Didsbury Cemetery Concert Fundraiser with proceeds going towards a new Cemetery Sign to be held at the Zion Church on April 13, 2013 beginning at 7 pm. Guests will be Hayseed Diva Band and members of the Didsbury High School Jazz Band. Tickets \$12 and available at the Town of Didsbury Office & Museum.

April 16

Council wants to hear from you regarding the future of the Didsbury Aquatic Center. Public meeting at 7:00 pm in the Memorial Complex Multi-purpose room.

April 18

Didsbury & District Community Bus trip to Rosebud Theater. For details or to make reservations call Evelyn Mercer at 403 335-4899.

April 22

Movies @ your library. Matinee at 2:00 pm will be "Rise of the Guardians". At 7:00 pm we will be screening "Les Misérables". Admission is by donation. Bring your own snacks. (Public Performance License sponsored by Front Porch Realty).

April 24

Coffee & Conversation will be held at the Museum on April 24 at 1 pm. Come enjoy a cup of coffee and learn about "Threads of Kindness". This is a group of quilters who make quilts for people needing extra love, support and kindness. If you have extra material to give them please bring it along.

April 26

Country & Western Dance at Melvin Hall. Music by Prairie Sunrise. Dancing 7:30 to 10:30

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CITIZENS ON PATROL - Didsbury/Carstairs. Driving in a neighbourhood near you. To volunteer call 403-335-8755.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE - Membership meetings are the 2nd Wednesday in June, September, November, and January. For more info please call 403-335-3265.

DIDSBURY TOPS - Take Off Pounds Sensibly! Come and join us every Wednesday evening. For more info call Val at 403-335-3990 or Sheila 403-335-9964.

BEAVERS TUES. - 6:30 - 7:30 p.m. at Eldon Foote Hall. Kids 5 to 7 years old, boys and girls welcome.

KING HIRAM LODGE #21 - has its regular meetings at 8 p.m. every 2nd Tuesday of the month.

ST. HILDA CHAPTER #27 O.E.S. - Regular meetings at 7:30 p.m. every 3rd Tues. of the month. For info. Call Marg Steckler 403-335-281.

DIDSBURY SENIOR SUPPORT SERVICES - Co-ordinates assistance for seniors. Call 403-335-4391.

DIDSBURY SHUTTLE BUS - Scheduled transportation for anyone on Monday, Wednesdays & Fridays 9 - 3. Please call day prior or by 8:00 a.m. for pick up. 403-507-0208. Wheelchair accessible. Sponsored by the Didsbury Lions Club.

LEARNING DISABILITIES MTN VIEW CHAPTER - Support and info for parents and teachers dealing with learning disabilities. For info call Susan at 403-335-3174.

DIDSBURY MENTAL HEALTH CLINIC - Provides free accessible mental health services. Which incl. assessments, individual family & group counselling & crisis intervention. Mon. - Fri. 8:30-4:00.

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS - Meetings Fridays 8:30 p.m. at the Masonic Hall, Didsbury, 21 Ave. and 21 St. For information call Donna at 403-335-8733 or Rick at 403-335-9525.

DIDSBURY LIFELINE EMERGENCY RESPONSE SYSTEM - Shirley 403-335-3787, Don 403-335-4676.

DIDSBURY ROYAL PURPLE #317 - Regular meeting at 7:00 p.m., 2nd Wednesday of each month. For info call Shirley Thompson 403-335-3787.

ALANON - For family and friends of alcoholics. Masonic Hall 21 Ave & 21 Street. Alice 403-

556-5911, Reg 403-337-3762.

DIDSBURY AND AREA SUPPORT GROUP - for friends and families of people with Alzheimer's Disease and other forms of dementia. Join us the last Monday of each month, 7-9 p.m. Aspen Ridge Lodge, 1100 - 20 Ave., Didsbury. 403-335-9848. Dolina Watson, 403-335-7285.

DIDSBURY & DISTRICT HEALTH SERVICES AUXILIARY - monthly meeting on the first Tuesday of each month at 2:00 p.m. in Unit 4 at the hospital.

OVEREATERS ANONYMOUS - 12-Step group for Compulsive Overeaters meets on Thursdays at 7 pm at St. Francis of Assisi Anglican Church, 130 Albert St. Airdrie. For more information call Deb at 403-948-0563 or Frankie at 403-335-3633.

3025 RCACC DIDSBURY ARMY CADETS - Youth 12-18 Monday 6:30 - 9:30. Downstairs Victoria Square Mall 403-559-8801.

DIDSBURY MUSEUM - Open 10 a.m. - 12 noon and 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. Tues and Wed.: Sat. 1 p.m. - 4 p.m. By appointment: Jim 403-335-0003 or Shirley 403-335-3277.

DIDSBURY & DISTRICT COMMUNITY BUS. - Call Jan to book your trip. 403-335-3052. Competent drivers.

DIDSBURY YOUTH JUSTICE COMMITTEE'S - meetings are held the first Monday of each month. All persons interested in volunteering and helping to work with the youth in our community are encouraged to come. For location and time please call 403-335-1975.

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DIDSBURY ELKS LODGE - supper meetings every 2nd and 4th Thurs. Supper at 7:00 p.m. meeting at 8:00 p.m. Call 403-335-4655.

SUPPER INVITATION - The Didsbury Lions Club welcomes men & lady visitors at their supper meetings on the first and third Thursdays of each month, 6:45 p.m. at the 5-0 Club. For information and to RSVP call 403-335-9173 or 403-335-4796.

DIDSBURY NEIGHBOURHOOD PLACE - is a resource centre for the town, we provide information and referral services, community programming, FCSS, resource lending library and meeting space available for rent. Please call 403-335-8719.

GIRL GUIDES OF CANADA - For fun, friendship and adventure for girls and women of all ages! Join anytime. Leaders are needed for all units, no experience necessary. Ages: Sparks 5/6, Brownies 7/8, Guides 9 - 11, Pathfinders 12 - 14, rangers 15 & up. Call Karen 403-556-8881.

FRIDAYS - CRIBBAGE STARTS - at the Elks Hall - 7:00 p.m.

HUNTINGTONS - Are you or someone you love affected by HD? I am looking to start up a support group in the Didsbury area. If you are interested contact Kim Rauhaala 403-335-9520.

BRING OUT THE BEST IN KIDS! Mountain View Optimists meets Tues. 7:30 pm at Sandy's in Olds. mountainviewoptimists@gmail.com

DIDSBURY AL-ANON FAMILY GROUP - Fridays at 8:30 at the Masonic Hall, 21 Ave. & 21 St. Suzanne 403-337-3033 or Jennifer 403-335-8388.

MOUNTAIN VIEW CHORALERS BEGIN THEIR FALL PRACTICES on Monday evening, Sept. 10 at 7 pm. at the FIVE-0 club. If you like to sing come and join us. we are a fun group.

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COMMUNITY VOLLEYBALL NIGHT - Adult co-ed drop-in Volleyball at Zion Church. Sun. Feb. 3. 7:00pm-9:00pm. \$2.00/night. Call Garnet 403-335-9820 tfn

MOUNTAIN VIEW ARTS SOCIETY - for lovers of art, culture and heritage of Didsbury & Mountain View County. Info at www.mountainviewartsociety.ca or call 403-335-9445. tfn

THE ROTARY CLUB OF DIDSBURY/ CARSTAIRS meets each Wednesday from 5:00 to 6:00pm. Contact Ernie Ruckman. 403-335-4739. New Members Welcome! tfn

DIDSBURY DEMENTIA SUPPORT GROUP meets every last Monday of the month. 3:00pm, at Aspen Ridge Lodge. Contact Brandee 403-335-7273 or Sharon 403-335-7285 tfn

VALDY AND GARY FJELLGAARD IN CONCERT! MPR in Didsbury, April 11 at 7pm. Doors open at 6:15. Tickets Available Library, Museum and www.mountainviewartsociety.ca 11-15

Church Directory

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403-335-3551 Email cwcc@airnet.net

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2030 - 24 Ave. Didsbury
For more information please contact
Catholic Women's League:
Maxine Moreau 403-335-4948
Knights of Columbus:
Gary McNeil 403-335-8611
For more information
Olds St. Steven's Office
403-556-3084

Redeemer Lutheran Lutheran Church Canada

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Church: 403-335-3161 / Rex: 403-335-3656
Sunday School - 9:30 a.m. • Worship - 10:30 a.m.
Adult Bible Study Sunday - 9:30 a.m.
Holy Communion 1 & 3 Sunday 10:30 a.m.
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Small Group Bible Study meetings throughout the week

Mountain View Evangelical Missionary Church

14 km East of Didsbury Pastor Art Numan
Office: 403-335-4422
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For information concerning the weekly activities please call the Church Office.

Anglican Church of Canada St. Cyprian's

2037 - 24th Ave. Didsbury - 403-335-4664
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Sunday Worship 10:30 a.m.
Holy Communion - 2nd & 4th Sunday each month

West Zion Mennonite Church

westzion.com has a map for directions
Senior Pastor Mal Braun
Youth Pastor Josh Tiel
Sunday Services 10:00 am
ALL WELCOME

Zion Evangelical Missionary Church

#802 Secondary Highway 582
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(Clockwise from top left) Artist Jean Elliott works on a glass top table at the Art Show & Sale during the Trade Expo; Roy Asham of Bowden performs during the Fiddlers Jamboree, Visitors walk through the arena floor during the Expo, and MLA Bruce Rowe speaks with an attendee during the trade expo.



Municipal Area Partnership reformation talks

BY KEVIN VINK
MVP Staff

The Municipal Area Partnership (MAP) has been undergoing recent debates as to what its purpose should be moving into the future, according to officials.

"We're at the point now where different members have different ideas of what MAP is or isn't," said Mayor Brian Wittal.

"So we've been trying to look at how we can make it something that is more functional, more beneficial and more useful at the regional level for other municipalities."

He noted that Carstairs' council recently came forward with a proposal as to what they think MAP should be used for - namely as a governance body for both the Mountain View Regional Waste Commission and seniors' housing.

"Because those are some very big commissions as far as budget goes and services in the region. If we go that direction, maybe we can be able to make sure that those are operating properly and appropriately for the future," he said.

Town council passed a motion last Tuesday resolving that councillors attend the next monthly meeting later this month and initiate discussions on what they think of Carstairs' resolution, using

that as a starting point to exchange thoughts and ideas with other municipalities in the group, he noted.

"Then I think what we need to do is encourage as many of our council members as possible to hear it first-hand, be part of that discussion, and then bring that information back so that council here in Didsbury can try to formulate Didsbury's version of what we believe MAP should be for the future, and then take that back for discussion in May."

Some of the issues in the past have been that members thought the MAP meetings were more for the purpose of having meetings, he said, but that members have also been trying to figure out what MAP would be best suited for.

"I've always felt that MAP was started to address things like our inter-municipal agreements on funding for libraries and recreation facilities and these kinds of things within our communities."

"These agreements - our memorandum of understanding and our municipal agreements - were drafted over four years ago now, and back then the intent was to review them every three years to see if there's any changes and updates that needed to be made to them."

Wittal believes that MAP's focus for the moment should remain on trying to move forward on getting new draft agreements in place, because things have

changed since the original agreements.

For example he mentioned the funding model used for recreation facilities in the region, and whether they need to be adjusted.

"And I think that's where we need to do it on a regional perspective so that it's consistent between the municipalities."

"There's some that think it should be done on an individual basis between the county and municipalities because there's differences - which there are - and I can appreciate that and those can be done separately."

However, there are many similar facilities that can be handled by MAP as a whole, such as curling rinks, hockey rinks, and libraries, he said.

"There's some fundamental differences there as to how (MAP members) want to move forward on reviewing our memorandum of agreements and our inter-municipal development agreements."

It's just a matter of sitting down as a group and putting together some basic fundamentals that all member groups can agree with, and building it up from there, he added.

"We didn't get the Premier's Award (of Excellence for Collaboration) just because, you know. There was a lot of work done to do that...but we showed that rural and urban can work together to resolve these kinds of issues."

UNLOCKED VEHICLES

Continued from page 3
Residents should also check their credit card records, as one card stolen over the weekend was used fraudulently," he said.

Police suspect there were additional instances of unlocked vehicles being entered and rummaged through over the weekend, though the owners were likely unaware of the incidents

or chose not to report them.

All of the thefts were related to unlocked vehicles, said Wright.

"A group of thieves can check hundreds of vehicles in a night, and only steal from the ones that are unlocked.

"People need to get into the habit of locking their vehicles," he stated.

"Most people have locking mechanisms on their key fobs - it's not a huge effort, and they'll save themselves a lot of

time dealing with insurance companies (and replacing items)," he said.

Wright noted that police suspect the incidents in Didsbury are likely linked to a series of thefts from unlocked vehicles that occurred in Carstairs the same night.

He said a purse was turned in to police and ask anybody who thinks they were struck to report the incident and determine if the police have recovered anything.

Vehicle theft

A white GMC SUV that was parked in downtown Didsbury was burgled last month on March 29 between 9 and 9:30 p.m., according to police.

Cpl. Warren Wright said the vehicle was unlocked at the time, and that a set of golf clubs and some American currency were stolen.

Police briefs

BY KEVIN VINK


Vehicle vandalism

Nine vehicles near Westhills Drive were vandalized on Friday, March 29 between 10 p.m. and the following morning, said Wright.

Windshield wip-

ers were damaged and words written in the dirt on the cars, he added.

Police are asking any witnesses who may have seen or heard anything to call the detachment directly or contact Crime Stoppers anonymously at 1-888-222-TIPS.

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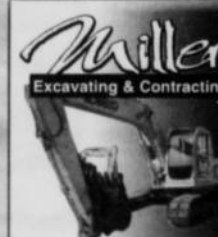
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*Always remembered and sadly missed by
 Ann, Matt & Tammy, Todd & Tasha*

140. Births

Eileen Rose Schulz McCulloch

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150. Birthdays/Anniversaries

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 Look at these
GREAT Ads!

180. Marriages

Doug and Angela Pratt are excited to announce the upcoming wedding of their daughter Marissa to Tyler, son of Don and Christine Jenkins. Wedding to take place on June 22, 2013.

May 18, 10:00 a.m. will be a bridal shower for Marissa Pratt at the Bethel Church west of Carstairs on Highway 580.

190. Announcements

Howard and Nyla Kirbyson and Miles and Vera Parker are very pleased to announce the engagement of their children Naomi and Jordan. Wedding will take place this summer.

190. Announcements

Spaghetti Dinner

Featuring the music of Canadian Country Recording Artist **JASON HASTIE**

April 27, 2013
 6:00-8:00pm
 Didsbury Elks Hall
 \$12 Adults \$7.50 Kids
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335-2388 for info or to reserve tickets.
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A fundraiser for the Didsbury Scouts Jamboree Fund

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190. Announcements

It's a
60th Birthday Party!

Join us to celebrate in honor of
Terry Phillips

April 13th, 2013 at 7 p.m.
 Rosebud Hall

located North of Didsbury
 on Highway 2A

1005. Help Wanted

COMPANY DRIVERS & LEASE OPERATORS WANTED

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1005. Help Wanted

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190. Announcements

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 Digital Headache?**

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190. Announcements

The Didsbury Curling Club is having it's AGM on Thursday April 11 @ 7pm in the curling club lounge. We would love to see you there!

1005. Help Wanted

MOBILE MEDICAL EXAMINERS: RNs, RPNs, LPNs, Lab Techs. Insurance Services Co. recruiting in Didsbury and surrounding. Venipuncture experience reqd. Contact careers@watermarkinsurance.com

5130. Apartments For Rent

COLLEGE GREEN

Apartment. 1802 16 St. Didsbury. 50 Plus adult, 1 bedroom. \$625.00/month includes Utilities. \$400.00 DD. No Smoking. No Pets. Available Apr. 1/13. 403-335-3394 or 403-275-5653

5135. Suites For Rent

1 BEDROOM SUITE

in a newer Christian home in Didsbury. Available May 1st. Includes 6 appliances & wireless Internet. Bright & cozy with in-floor heating. Some shared Utilities. \$725./month + DD. 403-333-0535 before 6pm, 403-335-8183 after 6pm.

5160. Condos For Rent

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bdrm. 1.5 bath Condo Blinds, W/D, deck, parking Avail. May 1/13. 403-254-2354

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39 Meadowview Court



1300 sq ft, 3 bdrms 2 baths on main, self contained basement suite w/ in floor heat, oversized double garage, large pie lot
\$334,900

5628 Sunrise Cres., Olds



Terrific 50+ single level living, no condo fees, 2 bedrooms, 2 fireplaces, covered and enclosed patio, single attached garage.
\$199,900

1703 - 17 Street



Beautiful fully developed home in College Green, gas fireplace, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, double garage, maintenance free 40+ living
\$234,900

105 Morris Place



1392 sq ft, high ceilings, granite counters, slate and hardwood floors, 2+2 bedrooms, 3 baths, great view to the west
\$379,900

207 Acres Close to Town



1500+ sq. ft., 3 bdrms, 3 baths, FP in living room, wood cook stove in bsmt., oversized dbl. att. garage w/floor heat, beautiful yard, tree perimeter, only 2 miles from Didsbury.
\$415,000

206 Campus Green



Terrific 45+ suite, 2 bedrooms, 2 baths, all appliances, reasonable condo fees, overlooking courtyard, great neighbors
\$184,900

8 Westhill Place



Affordable start or great revenue potential, 1/2 duplex w/3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, fireplace, large fenced backyard, great location
\$169,900

2110 - 23 Avenue



Great first time or investor property, excellent location in quiet neighborhood, single detached garage, gardener's delight
\$174,900

1506 Walter Place



Good sized bungalow with lots of upgrades, fully finished, 5 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, 2 fireplaces, beautiful park-like yard, gazebo, pond, deck with hot tub and more!
\$319,000

18 Westpoint Drive



Gorgeous custom home, open plan, hardwood, oak kitchen, large island, 2 gas fireplaces, infloor heat, 2 tiered deck with gazebo, great location.
\$369,900

103, 1902 - 23 Street



Lovely 25+ condo suite, beautifully decorated, 2 bedrooms, 2 baths, floor heat, corner gas fireplace, 9' ceilings, single detached garage
\$183,900

The Porch Boys

Ape-ril is a
GREAT time

to sell!

1803 - 17 Street



College Green condo villa, 1200 sq ft, fully finished, 2 bedrooms, 3 baths, double garage, reasonable condo fees, 40+
\$229,900

33 Westheights Drive



Immaculate, 3 + 2 bedrooms, 2-1/2 baths, upgrades in recent years to flooring, paint, bathrooms, furnace, double detached garage, great location.
\$279,900

201, 4500 - 50 Ave, Olds



Beautiful Legacy Village, 1 bedroom + den, 2 baths, oak kitchen, lots of amenities, lowest price in the building, 45+
\$185,000

1409 - 20 Avenue



40' wide residential/commercial lot, lots of possibilities, great location, good exposure
\$72,500

17 Bluebird Drive



Shows like new, 3 bedrooms, 3 baths, gas fireplace, hardwood, open plan, basement development started, one step walkout basement.
\$315,000

1801 - 17 Street



1300+ sq. ft. maintenance free living, 40+ villa in College Green, 2+1 bdrms, 3 baths, main fr. laundry, recent upgrades, reasonable HOA fees
\$249,900

Unit C, 1322 - 20 Street



Contemporary Condo over 2400 sq ft of living space, 3 levels, open floor plan, high ceilings, 2 balconies, air conditioning, huge walk-in closet in master
\$269,000

1912 - 20 Street



Excellent investment, 2592 sq ft building with solid tenant in place, potential to rent some more unused space, on Didsbury's busiest retail block
\$199,000

2029 - 18 Avenue



Lots of upgrades inside and out, 1360 sq ft, 80' X 120' lot, large south facing deck, large balcony deck off of master bdrm, zoned residential/commercial
\$229,000

1337 - 25 Street



Family 2 story, 3 + 1 bedrooms, 3 1/2 baths, oak kitchen, gas fireplace, double garage, good sized lot with R.V. parking off of lane
\$299,900

13 Valarosa Point



Brand new build ready for a spring possession, best area of Valarosa, 3 bdrms., 2 baths, hardwood, double attached garage
\$314,900 incl. gst

Mountain View Arts Society presents
Canadian Classic Concert
April 11 @ 7 p.m.

Valdy and Gary Fjellgaard

Tickets at Library, Museum and
www.mountainviewartsociety.ca
Didsbury Memorial Complex



1513 - 16 Street



Close to new high school, 5 bedrooms, 2 bathrooms, great covered back deck, small green house, patio and fire pit.
\$189,900

CARSTAIRS

1338 - Centre St.



Over 1400 sq ft, 3 + 1 bedrooms, 2 baths, fully developed, large deck, fenced yard, big lot, double detached garage
\$239,000

790 Stonehaven Dr.



Immaculate home inside & out shows like new, 2+1 bdrms, 3 baths, hardwood, fully finished, covered rear deck, underground sprinkler, oversized garage.
\$317,900

6 Idaho Place



Beautifully Upgraded! 3 + 2 bdrms, 3 baths, hardwood floors, 2 fireplaces, newer furnace, roof, siding, etc... central AC, gorgeous yard, double garage.
\$359,900

3 Idaho Place



2100 sq ft, many recent upgrades, new windows, siding, roof, & more, large deck, hot tub, wood stove, new hardwood on upper floor, great location
\$354,900